



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

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For: POROUS CERAMIC MATERIAL AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed concurrently.

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